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Place your non-dominant hand in a C-Shape around the muzzle of your pet so the mouth is kept closed.

2.



Retract the upper lip to make the teeth visible.

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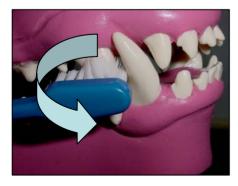
Use a soft-bristled toothbrush:

First, dampen the brush with water only* and place where the tooth and gingiva (gum) meet.

Then, angle the bristles at 45 degrees toward the gum line.

*Using water instead of flavored toothpaste will deter your pet from chewing on the brush.

3.



Move the brush in a <u>circular</u> motion with <u>mild</u> pressure. Too much pressure can damage and irritate the gingiva.

Mild bleeding may occur during the first few episodes of brushing.



Use toothpaste specifically for dogs and cats; apply some paste with your finger around the gingiva and teeth.

Remember

Toothpaste is not required for brushing; the mechanical motion of the bristles is essential for plaque removal.



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